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T E L B E C

Concordia's First Homecoming Reunion -- The Season's Sure Hit

MONTREAL / September 27th, 1990 -- Thousands of enthusiastic graduates from as far a field as Indonesia and Texas will be flocking back to Concordia University next month to celebrate their alma mater's first-ever Homecoming Reunion on Friday October 12th and Saturday 13th. It promises to be a party to remember.

Although individual class reunions have been held before, this event marks the first time Concordia University has invited **ALL** of its former graduates -- including those of its founding institutions -- Loyola and Sir George Williams -- to come home for a visit.

Besides all Loyola and Sir George Williams alumni (from all graduating years), all current students, faculty, staff, the general public, and friends of Concordia University are invited to this super weekend celebration. In keeping with the traditional five year reunion format, those years ending in 5s and 0s are being honoured with special attention.

There's sure to be something for everyone, including a gala black-tie dinner dance at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel, a superb concert in the University's new Concert Hall (where you can relax and enjoy the talent of some of Concordia's finest musicians), an elegant brunch, lectures, and Concordia's 15th Anniversary Octoberfest Birthday Bash at the Old Munich Restaurant.

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The festivity-filled weekend also ties in with Montréal's annual Shrine Bowl Football Game, to be played at the Concordia Stadium on the Loyola Campus, 7141 Sherbrooke Street West, between the Concordia Stingers and town rivals, the McGill Redmen.

Concordia Rector Patrick Kenniff will host a sumptuous 25th Anniversary Dinner to honour graduates from 1964 and 1965 (his own graduation years), and Chancellor Alan B. Gold will host another celebration dinner for pre-1960 graduates.

Individual department reunion parties are also being organized by the Departments of Communication Studies, Leisure Studies, and several Friends of Concordia Athletic groups.

Concordia's Homecoming is a rare opportunity to go back in time and relive funfilled student days. So pull out your garnet sweater, and see old places and faces you've never forgotten. Talk to that special someone you were too shy to talk to back when. Exchange telephone numbers or anecdotes, or kick up your heels on the dance floor. Revel and reminisce in shared memories.

Whatever way you choose to celebrate, Concordia's Homecoming line-up of exciting activities is a guaranteed good time for anyone interested in renewing old friendships, or making new ones. Everyone is invited to join in the celebrations at Concordia University on October 12th and 13th. Plan to be with us for THE weekend of the season.

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